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LETTER OF CORRECTION FOR PATENT 7,445,616

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the issuance of U.S. Patent 7,445,616 on November 4, 2008. In lieu of a Certificate of Correction pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.322, MPEP §1480 recommends that a letter making the errors of record be submitted and such letter will be placed in the patented file. There is no fee for the submittal of this letter.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Allowed Claim 243 was presented to the USPTO as follows:

Claim 243. *(Previously Presented)* A self-propelled substance delivery system, comprising:

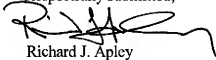
a shell containing at least a substance;
a shape memory material activator;
work enablers operatively associated with the activator; and
at least one track configured with traction means, wherein the work enablers engage the traction means to self-propel the activator therealong when the activator is subjected to temperature cycling and thereby deliver at least the substance.

Allowed Claim 243 was printed in the patent as Claim 3 with the errors emboldened:

Claim 3. A self-propelled substance delivery system, comprising:

a shell containing at least a substance;
a shape memory material activator;
work enablers operatively associated with the activator; and
at least one track configured with **fraction** means, wherein the work enablers engage the traction means to self-propel the activator **there along** when the activator is subjected to temperature cycling and thereby deliver at least the substance.

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